

## PLEASURE LAUNCH BURNS NEAR HALE'S BAR

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., December 8.—Mrs. Freda Krause and her niece, Rosa Wilson, aged eight, were drowned and the rest of the party had narrow escapes Sunday when a pleasure launch burned about three miles above the dam at Hale's Bar.

The fire was caused by the explosion of a gasoline tank. The boat was a new one, the property of Henry Bogger, president of a local bottling concern, and had made but three or four trips on the river. Efforts were made to put out the fire with water but to no avail. Life preservers were fastened around several of the party before jumping in the water, but the little girl, Rosa Wilson, slipped through hers and was drowned. It is supposed that Mrs. Krause died from the shock and exposure as her face was out of the water when her body was picked up.

### Patton Chapel.

*Specia to the News.*

This now resembles December weather. Hog killing is now in fashion. J. S. Massey, of Kelly's Ferry, was here last week.

Elder H. L. Goleton, of Cedar Springs, preached here Sunday at the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Foster were visiting relatives at Valdeau Sunday.

Prof. T. A. Boone attended the regular monthly teachers' meeting at Chattanooga Saturday.

A Boys' Corn Club has been organized at the school here, under the direction of L. L. Corbett, county demonstrator. Interest in farming is very great among some of the boys and here's hoping their success. The world needs better farmers.

Measles, Northcut and Condra, of Whitwell, or thereabouts, were here last week and are thinking of moving their sawmill here.

A "pie supper" was to be given at the Chapel Saturday night for the purpose of raising money to buy curtains for the school house. Owing to the bad, rainy weather, the feasting and spending was put off until next Saturday night.

James Fryar, of this place, who recently sold his farm to the West Chattanooga Land Co., has bought another farm at Ooltewah, paying \$11,000 therefor.

Charles Simpson shipped a nice lot of furs and fidgets to St. Louis last week and received a nice check in return.

B. F. Tittle departed Monday for regions unknown save to himself. He was talking of going to Texas to his brother's and per chance he may be among the flooded plains and towns of the Lone Star State. Lone Star.

Clifford Roberson went to Etna mines today.

## EPISCOPAL CHURCH TO CONSECRATE BISHOP

SEWANE, Tenn., Dec. 8.—On Wednesday, Dec. 17, an impressive and significant ceremony will take place, in the presence of the students and residents of Sewanee and of many distinguished guests from abroad. The Rev. Charles Blayney Colmore, B. D., will be consecrated Bishop of Porto Rico and Haiti. Mr. Colmore is now Dean of the Cathedral at Havana, Cuba, but was born and reared at Sewanee, where he received his entire education, primary, preparatory college and theological. He is a genuine product of Sewanee, in whom all friends of the University take a just pride. It is hoped that many visitors from nearby towns and cities will visit Sewanee on this interesting and auspicious occasion. It is worthy of note that Mr. Colmore began his ministry in Marion County, when he founded the Battle Creek Mission. The following is from a church journal of the Episcopal church:

"The very Rev. Charles Blayney Colmore, Dean of the Cathedral of Holy Trinity in Havana, has been recently elected Bishop of Porto Rico with jurisdiction over Haiti.

"The election of Bishop Colmore is received with pleasure by his friends in the University. He is a native of Tennessee and peculiarly a Sewanee man. In 1891, at the age of 19, he entered the Grammar School. Having graduated there he entered the University in 1894, took his B. A. In 1898, his M. A. in 1900, and entered the Theological Department and received his B. D. in 1903. He was ordained deacon in 1903 and the following year began his ministry in Pulaski and Mt. Pleasant, Tennessee. He was soon called to Cuba, where his work has been carried on with every degree of success. In 1903 he married Miss Sarah Palmer of Jacksonville, Fla. He has five children, three boys and two girls.

"In the election of Bishop Colmore a great honor has been conferred upon the University. His father, Mr. R. L. Colmore, who is connected with the University, is one of our most loyal workers, and we mutually rejoice with the General over the election of his son to this episcopal office.

Bishop Colmore's rapid rise is to be more especially commended because he is still a very young man, being only thirty five years old, and it is hoped that he will be consecrated at Sewanee, in All Saints' Chapel, since it is especially fitting."

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## ACT PROTECTING NON-GAME BIRDS

1. That from and after the passage of this Act it shall be unlawful for any person in the State of Tennessee to kill, catch or have in his or her possession, living or dead, any wild bird other than a game bird, or to purchase, offer or expose for sale, transport or ship within or without the State, any such wild bird after it has been killed or caught, except as permitted by this Act. No part of the plumage, skin or body of any bird protected by this section shall be sold or had in possession for sale. For the purposes of this Act the following only shall be considered game birds: The anasidae, commonly known as swans, geese, brant, river and sea ducks; the rallidae, commonly known as rails, rooks, mudhens and gallinules; the limicolae, commonly known as shore birds, plovers, surf birds, snipe, woodcock, sandpipers, tattlers and curlews; the gallinae, commonly known as wild turkeys, grouse, prairie chickens, pheasants, partridges and quails, doves, robins and meadow larks.

2. That it shall be unlawful for any person within the State of Tennessee to take or needlessly destroy the nest or the eggs of any wild non-game bird, or have such nest or eggs in his or her possession except as permitted by this Act.

3. That any person violating any of the provisions of this Act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and, shall upon conviction, be fined five dollars for each bird, living or dead, or part of bird, nest or set of egg or part thereof, possessed in violation of this Act, or shall be imprisoned not less than five nor more than thirty days for each offense, or shall be subject to both such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the court.

4. That Sections 1, 2 and 3 of this Act shall not apply to any person holding a certificate giving the right to take birds, their nests or eggs for scientific purposes, as provided for in Section 5 of this Act.

5. That certificates may be granted by the State Warden to any properly accredited person of the age of 15 years or upward, permitting the holder thereof to collect birds, their nests or eggs, for strictly scientific purposes only. In order to obtain such certificate the applicant for the same must present to the person or persons having the authority to grant said certificate written testimonials from well known scientific men certifying to the good character and fitness of said applicant to be intrusted with such privilege; must pay the said persons or officers one dollar to defray the necessary expense attending the granting of such certificates and must file with said persons or officers a properly executed bond in the sum of two hundred dollars, signed by two responsible citizens of the State, or an incorporated surety company as surety.

On proof that the holder of such certificate has killed any bird or taken the nest or eggs of any bird for other

than scientific purpose, his bond shall be forfeited to the State, and the certificate becomes void, and he shall be further subject for each offense to the penalties provided therefor in Section 3 of this Act.

6. That the certificates authorized by this Act shall be in force to the end of the calendar year in which they are issued and shall not be transferable.

7. That the English or European house sparrow, great horned owl, sharp skinned hawk, commonly known as the little blue darter or blue tail, Cooper's hawk, known as the big blue darter or blue tail, crow blackbird and turkey buzzard are not included among the birds protected by this Act.

8. That nothing in this Act shall prevent the keeping of any wild non-game bird, in possession at the passage of this Act, in a cage as a domestic pet, provided, that such bird shall not be sold or exchanged, or offered for sale or exchange, or transported out of the State.

9. That the grand juries of the Circuit and Criminal Courts of the State shall have inquisitorial authority over all violations of any of the provisions of this Act, and upon probable cause, shall make presentment without prosecutor; and that the Judges having criminal jurisdiction in the various counties in Tennessee, shall give this Act specially in charge to the grand juries at every term of the courts.

## CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION AT FOSTER FALLS

SEWANE, Tenn., Dec. 8.—The Christmas celebration of the Sunday School of the Good Shepherd, Foster Falls, will be held on the evening of Saturday, December 9th. The young people have been active in raising funds to purchase decorations for the Christmas tree, and presents for the children.

This is a very successful mission of the Episcopal Church, under the guidance of Mr. George Osman, of Sewanee, who will fill his appointment there next Sunday, the 7th.

## PIKEVILLE TO ELECT MAYOR AND ALDERMEN

PIKEVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 6.—Pikeville will elect a mayor and board of aldermen Monday, Dec. 15. These officials serve two years without compensation. There is no opposition so far developed against the present officials, who will likely be re-elected. T. J. Sullivan was elected city marshal vice W. S. Thompson resigned.

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## FROM THE ENEMY

### How Miss Emma Knox Gave Warning to Her Friends.

Well, boys, I'll keep my promise and tell you a real true war story.

I was a member of Carter's Scouts which were stationed at Pond's Springs, Ala., though our scouts at the reorganization became a part of the 21st Tenn. Cavalry, and were brigaded with Campbell's brigade, Jackson's Division and Forest Corps. I am now a member of Troop A, Forest Cavalry. This much I tell you so you may know and understand I was a real scout and understand the tactics of a scout. I was on a scout in Middle Tennessee in the winter of '64 and the early months of '65. We had ridden a long distance and until ten or eleven o'clock at night. The boys, six in number, including myself, were getting very sleepy and tired. Reaching a neighborhood where we were all very well acquainted we decided to stop and rest and sleep some. Leaving the road, as all scouts generally did, we rode up to near the top of a hill, tied our horses, and went to sleep, little thinking there was an enemy in 30 miles of us. But there was, and in less than a half a mile of us.

We slept soundly until day began to dawn. I awoke and heard a stick break, and looked to the top of the hill, and saw a woman coming toward us, bareheaded. She kept looking in different directions. Finally she saw our horses and came straight toward us. I sprang up and went to meet her. I knew her. She was Miss Emma Knox. The first words I said were: "What is the matter, Emma?" She told me a large body of Yankee soldiers was camped at her father's house and she was so troubled that she could not sleep, believing we were somewhere close by. I asked her how she managed to elude the Yankees. She said: "You know we have a field just over the hill." "Yes," said I.

"Well, our milk cows run in that field, and I got my milk pail and came to milk the cows. When I got to the milk gap the cows were at the upper side, so I came after them, and I determined to see if you boys were over here." I thanked her for the risk she had taken, went back to the boys, woke them up and told them of the danger we were in, and we left, going in the direction of Murfreesboro. The Yankees followed us three or four miles and gave up the chase and told the Pinkerton girls to tell me I wasn't as drunk as I pretended to be and they would see me some other time. True, I did fall off my horse several times and put up all the bluffs I could, for there were only six of us, and I didn't care to be pressed very hard.

I wonder how many girls would risk their liberty and lives for a few friends as Miss Emma did. After the war she married Lieutenant Ed Owensby and moved to Texas. He died about three years ago and left Emma as his widow. We talk about the bravery of Hobson, but the women of the 60's were just about as brave as any man the Spanish-American War produced. Do you know that, from that day to this, I firmly believe that God used Miss Emma Knox as means to preserve my life and the life of the boys with me. We never in all of our scouting expeditions had ever stopped on that hill before, no one knew we were in the country, and no one was expecting us as I knew of, so now I am forced to believe Providence surely intervened. It was a terrible risk for Miss Emma to take but she took it.

I'll now tell of the heroism of a union lady in East Tennessee. When Joe Wheeler made his raid thru Tennessee Gens. Dibrell, Roberson and Williams,

with their brigades, got out off at Murfreesboro and had to go back thru East Tennessee. I was along and know whereof I write. We suffered terribly for something to eat. I did without eating for three days and nights. After passing thru Warrior Gap, a detail of 18 men was made from the 4th Tennessee regiment to go out and forage for something to eat. Forage in those days, young folks, just meant take it if you could find it, and the most of us were in the taking humor. Our Lieutenant was a nice, clever gentleman and had the utmost respect for ladies. The foraging party rode up to a house where everything bespoke of doing well. Two women were out in the yard washing. They didn't greet us with a smile, but looked sour and grum, as though they didn't like us, and I guess they didn't, as you will see presently.

Our Lieutenant spoke to them and asked if they had any meal, flour or meat. "No," came a prompt answer. "Then," said the Lieutenant, "I have orders to search and see." When that came out the older woman picked up her battling stick and went and placed herself in the door, remarking, "You can't search my house." The Lieutenant began to parley with her, but all to no purpose. She wouldn't yield, nor didn't. There were 18 soldiers as valiant as ever faced the enemy and one little woman as defiant as they ever get to be. Finally, J. T. Morgan, a headlong soldier of my company, jumped off his horse and ran up to the Lieutenant and said, "Lieutenant, I'll go in if you say so." The woman threw her eyes on him and looked at him as much as to say, "No, you won't." John didn't wait for orders, but started. When he got in reach the woman struck him over the eye with her battling stick, knocking him heels over head. He jumped up and started to pull his pistol but the Lieutenant stopped him. It is needless for me to tell you that house was not searched for it was not.

I have in mind another story where a Yankee soldier knocked a lady down. He was captured the next day and paid the penalty all cowards pay when they mistreat a lady. I'll tell you boys some more war stories later on if you will be good.

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